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# Match Officials Game Fees Proposal

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## Introduction

This document if approved by the Board, replaces the [current version](#) dated March 31st, 2022 and provides a standardized rate for Match Officials compensation for games played in Ontario across District, Regional and Provincial competitions. **It does not, however, apply to recreational or house league competitions operated by individual clubs.**

To develop the new proposed fees, an analysis was conducted for the current market realities as well as stakeholder consultation with Ontario Soccer's Development Department, Match Officials Development Committee (MODC), Technical Advisory Committee (TAC), the Executive Leadership Group and the Voting Members Council.

Approved by the Ontario Soccer's Board of Directors, the proposed period for the Match Officials game fees set out in this document will be implemented for the 2025 Outdoor Season (starting **April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2025**) and valid through the 2025-26 and 2026-27 Indoor Seasons and the 2026 Outdoor Season. This will provide a 7-month window for the membership to prepare and adjust budgets accordingly to the changes proposed herein.

## Provincial:

The expectations placed on Match Officials at the Provincial level have increased.

Match Officials are expected to devote considerable time and expense in the off-season to maintain fitness and attend education sessions.

## League1 Ontario:

Division	Referee	Assistant Referee	Crew
Premier	\$160.00	\$110.00	\$380.00
Championship	\$150.00	\$90.00	\$330.00
Reserves	\$120.00	\$80.00	\$280.00

## Ontario University Athletics (OUA):

Year	Referee	Assistant Referee	Crew
2024	\$120.00	\$80.00	\$280.00
2025	\$120.00	\$85.00	\$290.00
2026	\$120.00	\$85.00	\$290.00

## Ontario College Athletic Association (OCAA):

Year	Referee	Assistant Referee	Crew
2024	\$110.00	\$75.00	\$260.00
2025	\$120.00	\$85.00	\$290.00
2026	\$120.00	\$85.00	\$290.00

## Provincial Leagues (OPDL, Ontario Soccer League Provincial Elite):

Age Group	Referee	Assistant Referee	Crew
U13*	\$65.00	\$50.00	\$165.00
U14	\$70.00	\$55.00	\$180.00
U15	\$70.00	\$55.00	\$180.00
U16	\$75.00	\$60.00	\$195.00
U17 & U18	\$80.00	\$65.00	\$210.00
Adult	\$100.00	\$70.00	\$240.00

## Ontario Cup:

Ontario Cup qualifying rounds are considered Regional competition; Ontario Cup Semi Finals and Finals are considered Provincial competition.

Qualifying Rounds:

Age Group	Referee	Assistant Referee	Crew
U13	\$60.00	\$45.00	\$150.00
U14	\$60.00	\$45.00	\$150.00
U15	\$65.00	\$50.00	\$165.00
U16	\$70.00	\$55.00	\$180.00
U17 & U18	\$75.00	\$60.00	\$195.00
Adult	\$90.00	\$70.00	\$230.00

Semi Finals & Finals:

Age Group	Referee	Assistant Referee	Crew
U13*	\$65.00	\$50.00	\$165.00
U14	\$65.00	\$50.00	\$165.00
U15	\$70.00	\$55.00	\$180.00
U16	\$75.00	\$60.00	\$195.00
U17 & U18	\$80.00	\$65.00	\$210.00
Adult	\$100.00	\$70.00	\$240.00

## Indoor Soccer (incl. Ontario Indoor Cup)

Age Group	Referee
U13 & U14	\$30.00
U15, U16 & U17	\$35.00
U18	\$40.00

## Regional:

Examples of Regional Leagues include the Ontario Soccer League (Regional Division Adult), Ottawa Carleton Soccer League (Adult) and the IModel (Youth).

Age Group	Referee	Assistant Referee	Crew
U13	\$60.00	\$45.00	\$150.00
U14	\$60.00	\$45.00	\$150.00
U15	\$65.00	\$50.00	\$165.00
U16	\$70.00	\$55.00	\$180.00
U17 & U18	\$75.00	\$60.00	\$195.00
Adult	\$90.00	\$70.00	\$220.00

## District:

Age Group	Referee	Assistant Referee	Crew
U13	\$55.00	\$40.00	\$135.00
U14	\$60.00	\$45.00	\$150.00
U15	\$60.00	\$45.00	\$150.00
U16	\$65.00	\$50.00	\$165.00
U17 & U18	\$70.00	\$55.00	\$180.00
Adult	\$85.00	\$65.00	\$215.00

## Futsal:

	Referee
U13 – U16	\$35.00
U17 – U18	\$40.00
Adult	\$45.00



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